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## COLLEGE OF SCIENCES CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MINUTES

Friday, November 17, 2006– Blair Hall Conference Room 3108

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**Present:** Dr. Ashley, Dr. J. Comerford, Dr. A. Fritz, Dr. Gutowski, Dr. Hendrickson, Dr. H. Li, Dr. Sharma, Dr. Storm, Dr. Wheeler, Mr. Bradd and Associate Dean Obia

**Guests:** Dr. Addison, Dr. Conwell, Dr. Steve Daniels and Dr. Zou

Vice-Chair Wheeler called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

### Minutes

The minutes of 11/3/06 were approved as written.

### **I. Communications**

1. Lumpkin College of Business and Applied Sciences Curriculum Committee Minutes– 11/3/06
2. College of Education and Professional Studies Curriculum Committee Minutes – 11/13/06

### **II. Proposals**

#### **06-33. Proposed Revision of Psychology Major (B.A.)**

This agenda item was placed first on the agenda at the request of Dr. Addison. Dr. Addison presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Ashley moved and Dr. Fritz seconded the motion to approve the proposed revision of the major. The proposal passed unanimously as amended.

#### **06-21. New Course Proposal – Physics 3001. Laser Safety. (3-0-3) F-even-numbered years.**

Dr. Daniels presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Fritz moved and Dr. Hendrickson seconded the motion to approve the course proposal. The new course proposal passed unanimously as amended.

#### **06-22. New Course Proposal – Physics 3002. Introduction to Health Physics. (3-0-3) S.**

Dr. Storm and Dr. Daniels presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Hendrickson moved and Dr. Sharma seconded the motion to approve the course proposal. The new course proposal passed unanimously as amended.

#### **06-23. New Course Proposal – Physics 3100. Astronomical Techniques. (2-3-3) S-odd-numbered years.**

Dr. Conwell presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Ashley moved and Dr. Comerford seconded the motion to approve the course proposal. The new course proposal passed unanimously as amended.

#### **06-24. New Course Proposal – Physics 3320. Computational Methods in Physics and Engineering. (3-3-4) S-even-numbered years.**

Dr. Zou presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Fritz moved and Dr. Hendrickson seconded the motion to approve the course proposal. The new course proposal passed unanimously as amended.

#### **06-25. New Course Proposal – Physics 4100. Astrophysics. (3-0-3) S-even-numbered years.**

Dr. Conwell presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Sharma moved and Dr. Ashley seconded the motion to approve the course proposal. The new course proposal passed unanimously.

#### **06-26. New Course Proposal – Physics 4320. Computational Physics. (3-3-4) S-odd-numbered years.**

Dr. Zou presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Ashley moved and Dr. Hendrickson seconded the motion to approve the course proposal. The new course proposal passed unanimously as amended.

#### **06-27. Proposed New Option: Physics Major with Computational Physics Option (B.S.)**

Dr. Zou presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Fritz moved and Dr. Hendrickson seconded the motion to approve the proposed option. The proposal for the new option passed unanimously as amended.

#### **06-28. Proposed New Option: Physics Major with Astronomy Option (B.S.)**

Dr. Conwell presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Sharma moved and Dr. Ashley seconded the motion to approve the proposed option. The proposal for the new option passed unanimously as amended.

#### **06-29. Proposed New Option: Physics Major with Engineering Physics Option (B.S.)**

Dr. Storm presented the proposal and responded to questions from committee members. Dr. Gutowski moved and Dr. Hendrickson seconded the motion to approve the proposed option. The proposal for the new option passed unanimously.

- 06-30. **Proposed Revision of Physics Major with Radiation Physics Option (B.S.)**  
Dr. Storm presented the proposal. Dr. Ashley moved and Dr. Fritz seconded the motion to approve the proposed revision. The proposed revision of the option passed unanimously.
- 06-31. **Proposed Revision of Physics Major (B.S.)**  
Dr. Storm presented the proposal. Dr. Comerford moved and Dr. Gutowski seconded the motion to approve the proposed revision. The proposed revision of the major passed unanimously.
- 06-32. **Proposed Revision of Physics Minor**  
Dr. Storm presented the proposal. Dr. Li moved and Dr. Sharma seconded the motion to approve the proposed revision. The proposed revision of the minor passed unanimously.
- 06-34. **New Course Proposal – Geography 3060. Geography and Culture of Europe. (3-0-3) S-even-numbered years.**  
The proposal was placed on the agenda. Voting will be later.
- 06-35. **New Course Proposal – Geography 3620. Geography of Tourism. (3-0-3) S-odd-numbered-years.**  
The proposal was placed on the agenda. Voting will be later.
- 06-36. **Proposed New Concentration in International Studies for Geography Major (B.S.)**  
The proposal was placed on the agenda. Voting will be later.
- 06-37. **New Course Proposal – Economics 3450. Game Theory. (3-0-3) S.**  
The proposal was placed on the agenda. Voting will be later.

The meeting adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

Barb Kuykendall  
Recorder

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